

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	Tony N. Fridakis	Art Unit:	1634
Application No.:	10/589,291	Examiner:	J. A. Goldberg
Filed:	June 4, 2007	Conf. No.:	7164
Title:	METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR INFERRING EYE COLOR AND HAIR COLOR		

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Requirement for Restriction mailed October 16, 2008 and further responsive to the Office Communication mailed July 16, 2009, Applicant elects, without traverse, Group I, Claims 1-13, drawn to a method for determining eye color.

Applicants also elect the SNP of an oculocutaneous albinism II (OCA2) gene, Subcombination (B) and SEQ ID NO: 3 and 4.

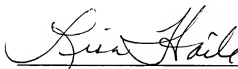
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No fee is believed due. If any additional fee is due, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees required by this submission, or make any credits or overpayments, to Deposit Account No. 07-1896 referencing the above-identified attorney docket number.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: August 14, 2009



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